

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

Claims 1,2, 7-24 are pending.

Claims 22-24 are withdrawn .

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mr. Edward Mazer on 7/17/08.

The application has been amended as follows:

Cancel claims 22-24.

In claims 1, 2, 7-20, after acceptable salt

Delete “[[or solvate]]

In claim 21 , after acceptable salt

Delete “[[or solvate thereof]]”

In claims 2, 19-21 before the term composition

Delete “[[pharmaceutical]] “

In claims 2, 19-21 after the term comprising

Delete [[an effective amount of]]

Status of the claims :-

The rejection of the claims under 35 USC 112 has been withdrawn.

Applicants had deleted the terms using double brackets however the correct method would be to line through the deleted matter.

In order to avoid confusion the examiner did, with the applicants permission has done an examiners amendment.

There are no other issues and the claims 1, 2, 7-21 are being allowed.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Rita J. Desai whose telephone number is 571-272-0684. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Friday, flex time..

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Janet Andres can be reached on 571-272-0867. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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